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Lazar M. Kaganovich was selected as head of the Committee for Questions of Labor and Wages for the following reasons:

- a. He has served as Deputy Chairman of the Council of Ministers for some time and, as a result, he is thoroughly familiar with the missions of the various ministries and government agencies (uchrezhdeniya).
- b. He had been in charge of Government Supplies (Gosudarstvennyye Snabzheniya—GOSSNAB), which allocated and supplied to the various ministries the materials necessary to the successful fulfillment of their plans. Because of these past experiences and his capabilities, Kaganovich was the individual best suited to his new assignment.

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